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SUBJECT: PRG ISSUE AT LOW CONFERENCE: PERUVIAN POSITION

USDEL OFFICER CALLED JANUARY 30 ON ALFREDO RAMOS OF THE PERUVIAN MISSION IN GENEVA TO DISCUSS THE PRG ISSUE. RAMOS REMARKED EARLY IN THE CONVERSATION THAT HE BELIEVED PERU WOULD VOTE FOR THE PRG, JUST AS LAST YEAR, ALTHOUGH INSTRUCTIONS HAD NOT YET COME. HE CITED THE PRINCIPLE OF UNIVERSALITY IN HUMANITARIAN LAW. USDEL OFFICER THEN RAISED THE FACT THAT THE USG TOOK A POSITION ON BOTH SUBSTANTIVE AND PROCEDURAL GROUNDS. USDEL OFFICER EXPLAINED BOTH ASPECTS IN CONSIDERABLE DETAIL, DURING WHICH RAMOS WAS ESSENTIALLY IMPASSIVE. USDEL OFFICER STATED THAT SOME GOVERNMENTS ARE SUPPORTING US ON THE PROCEDURAL PRINCIPLE WHILE FOR REASONS OF THEIR OWN THEY HESITATE TO DO SO ON THE SUBSTANTIVE ISSUE, AND WE HOPED PERU COULD AT LEAST DO THIS. RAMOS WAS NON-COMMITAL. DALE

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